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TO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS:MASS, KE

SUBJECT: FY 197T FMS CREDIT FOR KENYA

REF: NAIROBI 10410

1. GOK FOREIGN MINISTRY PERMSEC KIBINGE SEPT. 29 SIGNED
LOAN AGREEMENT FOR DOLS. 15 MILLION CREDIT FROM FY 7T
ALLOCATION. AGREEMENT WAS SIGNED IN BRIEF CEREMONY AT
FEDERAL FINANCE BANK OFFICES IN TREASURY BUILDING.

2. KIBINGE DELIVERED SHORT EXTEMPORANEOUS REMARKS
EXPRESSING APPRECIATION OF GOK FOR U.S. ASSISTANCE TO GOK
IN IMPROVING DEFENSE CAPABILITY. KIBINGE SAID GOK HAD
EMBARKED ON THIS EFFORT ONLY RECENTLY, AND RELUCTANTLY --
IN VIEW OF DIVERSION OF RESOURCES FROM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
-- BUT THAT IT WAS NECESSARY IN ORDER TO PROTECT KENYAN
TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY FROM THREATS BY "UNPREDICTABLE"
NEIGHBORING STATES. KISSINGER

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